

UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY  
REGION 5

IN THE MATTER OF:

Portsmouth Gaseous Diffusion Plant  
3930 U.S. Route 23 South  
Piketon, Ohio 45661

ATTENTION: T. Michael Taimi, Environmental Assurance and  
Policies Manager  
United States Enrichment Corporation, Inc.  
Phone: (301) 564-3409

Request to Provide Information Pursuant to the Clean Air Act

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We are issuing this information request under section 114(a) of the Clean Air Act (Act), 42 U.S.C. § 7414(a). Section 114(a) authorizes the Administrator of U.S. EPA to require the submission of information. The Administrator has delegated this authority to the Director of the Air and Radiation Division, Region 5.

The United States Enrichment Corporation, Inc. operates a stationary source subject to Title 40 C.F.R. 61, Subpart H, at your Piketon, Ohio, facility. We are requesting this information to determine whether your emission source is complying with the

Ohio State Implementation Plan, and 40 C.F.R. 61, Subpart H,  
*National Emission Standards for Emissions of Radionuclides Other  
Than Radon From Department of Energy Facilities.*

You must send all required information to:

Attn: Compliance Tracker, AE-17J  
Air Enforcement and Compliance Assurance Branch  
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency  
Region 5  
77 West Jackson Boulevard  
Chicago, Illinois 60604

With copies to Ohio Department of Health/Bureau of Radiation  
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Ruth H. Vandegrift, Supervisor  
Decommissioning Program  
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35 East Chestnut St.  
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J. Thomas Tucker, III, Supervisor  
Environmental Assessment Unit  
Division of Air Pollution Control  
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1800 WaterMark Drive  
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You may consider the information confidential that you  
submit to us. You may assert a claim of business confidentiality  
for any portion of the submitted information, except emission  
data, under 40 C.F.R. part 2, subpart B. Information subject to  
a business confidentiality claim is available to the public only  
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to assert a business confidentiality claim makes all submitted  
information available to the public without further notice.

The USEC must submit all requested information under an authorized signature certifying that the information is true and complete to the best knowledge of the certifying official after due inquiry. Knowingly providing false information, in response to this request, may be actionable under section 113(c)(2) of the Act, and 18 U.S.C. §§ 1001 and 1341.


We may use any information submitted in response to this request in an administrative, civil, or criminal action.

This request is not subject to the Paperwork Reduction Act, 44 U.S.C. § 3501 et seq., because it seeks collection of information from specific individuals or entities as part of an administrative action or investigation.

Failure to comply fully with this request for information may subject the United States Enrichment Corporation, Inc. to an enforcement action under section 113 of the Act, 42 U.S.C. § 7413.

You should direct any questions about this request for information to Michael H. Murphy at (312) 353-6686.

10-16-01  
Date

  
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Bharat Mathur, Director  
Air and Radiation Division

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I, Loretta Shaffer, do hereby certify that I sent a Request to Provide Information Pursuant to the Clean Air Act by Certified Mail, Return Receipt Requested, to:

T. Michael Taimi, Environmental Assurance and  
Policies Manager  
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6903 Rockledge Drive  
Bethesda, Maryland 20817

I also certify that I sent a copy of the Request to Provide Information Pursuant to the Clean Air Act by First Class Mail to:

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Alicia Shuatt for  
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